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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON  
FOR THE COUNTY OF MULTNOMAH

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In the Matter of the Appointment  
of a Custodian for the Law Practice of

ANDREW LONG

Multnomah County Case No.

EX PARTE PETITION FOR ORDER APPOINTING  
OREGON STATE BAR TO ACT AS CUSTODIAN  
OF LAW PRACTICE (ORS 9.705 et seq.)

No Filing Fee Required: ORS 9.725(4)

Pursuant to ORS 9.705, et. seq., Petitioner, the Oregon State Bar (Bar), alleges:

1.

Andrew Long (Long) is a member of the Bar, admitted on September 26, 2003. Long has conducted his law practice as a sole practitioner and has maintained his principal office at 610 SW Broadway, Suite 510, Portland, OR 97205.

2.

On December 20, 2017, the Oregon Supreme Court issued an order immediately suspending Long from the practice of law until further order of the court, and ordering the Bar to take all appropriate steps necessary to immediately protect the interests of Long's clients (Ex. 1). On information and belief, Long has failed to make any arrangements for the orderly suspension or termination of his law practice.

3.

This petition is supported by the memorandum of authorities and declaration filed herewith.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays for an Order:

1. Finding that this court has jurisdiction over the law practice of Andrew Long.

2. Finding that the assumption of such jurisdiction is necessary in order to protect the interest of the clients of Andrew Long or to protect the public interest.

3. Taking immediate jurisdiction over the law practice of Andrew Long, including Andrew Long's IOLTA account funds and records, all legal files, client's trust funds, clients' property and all books, records (electronic and paper), funds and property used in Andrew Long's law practice.

4. Appointing the Oregon State Bar to act as custodian of Andrew Long's law practice and permitting the Bar, immediately upon appointment, to take possession and control of all property comprising the law practice in accordance with the powers set forth in ORS 9.725.

5. Ordering Wells Fargo Bank and any other financial institution holding funds in an IOLTA lawyer trust account of Andrew Long to release the funds to the Oregon State Bar upon presentment of a copy of this order appointing the Oregon State Bar as custodian of Andrew Long's practice.

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6. Granting such other relief as the Court may direct to carry out the purposes listed in ORS 9.725.

Dated the 20th day of December, 2017.

Respectfully submitted,  
OREGON STATE BAR

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